



Training workshop on Animal Welfare during stunning and killing in disease control situations

June 8th-11th, 2010

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General aims

- To increase the **awareness** that animal welfare is a **value** and a **science** that must be implemented at any level;
- To put on a **network of experts** and policy makers, enhancing the **application of EU norms** and **international standards** on AW at country level;
- To implement the **sensitisation** of industry **associations**, relevant stakeholders and **third countries** organizations towards the main AW topics, in order to enforce their proactive role within animal welfare.



Learning objectives

- To have **appropriate knowledge** of EU regulations and international standards on animal welfare at the time of killing for disease control purposes;
- To be aware of the necessity to **include AW standards** in the **management** of epidemic and non epidemic emergencies;
- To have punctual knowledge of the **most effective** stunning and killing **methods**;
- To know how to **communicate** effectively on killing in disease control situations.



Methodologies

- Lectures
- Exercises
- Panel discussion
- Case study
- Study visit/Simulation





Delegates and Tutors

- 2 European Commission Delegates
 - 1 DG SANCO
 - 1 FVO
- 1 OIE
- 11 Tutors
 - *Hungary, Italy, Netherlands, Spain and UK*
 - *representing NCAs & Governments, Universities & Research Institutions*



59 Participants

38 Countries

- Albania (1)
- Austria (1)
- Belgium (1)
- Brazil (1)
- Bulgaria (2)
- Chile (1)
- Croatia (2)
- Cyprus (1)
- Czech Republic (2)
- Denmark (2)
- Egypt (2)
- Estonia (2)
- Finland (1)
- France (2)
- FYROM (2)
- Germany (2)
- Greece (1)
- Hungary (1)
- Iceland (1)
- Ireland (1)
- Italy (3)
- Korea (1)
- Latvia (2)
- Lithuania (2)
- Malta (2)
- Namibia (1)
- Netherlands (1)
- Norway (1)
- Paraguay (1)
- Poland (2)
- Portugal (1)
- Slovakia (2)
- Slovenia (2)
- Spain (3)
- Turkey (2)
- Ukraine (1)
- United Kingdom (2)
- Zimbabwe (1)



Your expectations

- To **improve the knowledge** and learn all the recent developments concerning Animal Welfare in disease control situations in order to incorporate it in the national animal health programs;
- To **strengthen national policies** to **promote AW** during killing for disease control purposes;
- To improve the knowledge of relevant EU legislation concerning Animal Welfare during killing for disease control situations and **dial with problems** that rise during the practical implementation of the legislation;
- To **compare killing procedures** for diseases control: welfare, advantages, disadvantages, costs, feasibility, time-consuming;
- To **implement** the Council Regulation (EC) **N. 1099/2009**;
- To **exchange and share experiences** with colleagues of other MS and build relationships;
- To **improve** the checks on **conditions of livestock**.



Agenda

June 8th

- Opening session
- EU legislation, FVO approach and NCA perspective
- OIE AW standards
- Group activity

June 9th

- Epidemic emergency management
- Stunning and killing methods for disease control purposes
- Group activities/discussions



Agenda

June 10th

- Field activity: visit to local farms
- Simulation exercise

June 11th

- AW in natural disasters
- Effective communication on killing for disease control
- Group activity
- Conclusions



Social programme

June 9th

- ✓ Visit to Ascoli Piceno (very, very nice historical town!!)
- ✓ Social dinner at the Hotel Casale restaurant





“No one knows everything and no one knows nothing; no one educates anyone, no one educates himself alone, people educate each other, mediated by the world”

Paulo Freire



**We hope you'll spend
some beautiful days
with us!**